

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Selig et al.

Confirmation No.: 3729

Application No.: 10/633,345

Group No.: 1754

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Examiner: Edward M. Johnson

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DEACTIVATING ITEMS AND FOR MAINTAINING SUCH  
ITEMS IN A DEACTIVATED STATEMail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

## STATUS

- Applicant is other than a small entity.

## EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

## FEE FOR CLAIMS

- The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	5	— 20	= 0	x \$ 50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP.	2	— 3	= 0	x \$ 200.00	= \$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$ 0.00	= \$	0.00
				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$	0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

**FEE DEFICIENCY**

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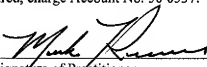
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.